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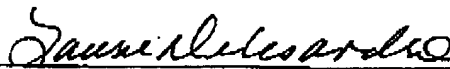
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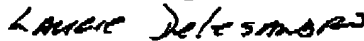
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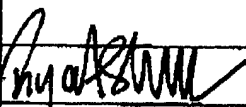
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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The *Office Action*, Paper No. 3, from Examiner Phi Dieu Tran A of Art Unit 3637, dated 25 June 2002, has been received and carefully reviewed. In response thereto, Applicant restricts the Application to Claims 1-19 (Group I), drawn to a construction element, classified in Class 52, Subclass 309.17.

CONCLUSION

By the present *Response To Restriction Requirement*, Claims 1-19 are pending in the Application for examination purposes. Should the Examiner have any further questions or reservations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned Attorney at 404.885.2773

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